PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

KODAS et al.

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For: "COPPER POWDERS, METHODS

FOR PRODUCING POWDERS AND DEVICES FABRICATED

FROM SAME"

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Group Art Unit: 2831

Examiner: A. Dinkins

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In reviewing our file, we note that the last correspondence received from your office is a Decision on Petition mailed December 12, 2000. Applicant respectfully requests a status update with regard to the above-identified application at your earliest convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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